AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 1 as follows:

~~An object~~A feature of the present invention is to provide a facsimile apparatus and a data transfer method thereof that can transfer data of one-touch dial numbers and speed dial numbers to a different facsimile apparatus without failing to enter the data, or by reducing the amount of unentered data.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 7 as follows:

In order to achieve this feature~~object~~, a facsimile apparatus of the present invention includes: a speed dial section for calling, when numeric keys are selected, a destination assigned by a combination of the numeric keys; a one-touch dial section for calling, when one of a plurality of keys independently provided from the numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the selected key; a first memory for storing data used by the one-touch dial section; a second memory for storing data used by the speed dial section; a detecting section for finding a vacant memory space in a third memory and a fourth memory of another facsimile apparatus connected to the facsimile apparatus, the third memory

storing data used by a one-touch dial section provided in the another facsimile apparatus, the fourth memory storing data used by a speed dial section provided in the another facsimile apparatus; and an entry section for entering data of the first memory in the third memory, and data of the second memory in the fourth memory, the entry section entering at least some of the data stored in the second memory in the third memory when the detecting section finds that an amount of data stored in the second memory exceeds a vacant memory space in the fourth memory, and that an amount of data stored in the first memory is smaller than a vacant memory space in the third memory.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 8, line 20 as follows:

In order to achieve the foregoing feature~~object~~, a facsimile apparatus of the present invention includes: a speed dial section for calling, when numeric keys are selected, a destination assigned by a combination of the numeric keys; a one-touch dial section for calling, when one of a plurality of keys independently provided from the numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the selected key; a first memory for storing data used by the one-touch dial section; a second memory for storing data used by the speed dial section; a detecting section for finding a vacant memory space in a third memory and a fourth memory of another facsimile

apparatus connected to the facsimile apparatus, the third memory storing data used by a one-touch dial section provided in the another facsimile apparatus, the fourth memory storing data used by a speed dial section provided in the another facsimile apparatus; and an entry section for entering data of the first memory in the third memory, and data of the second memory in the fourth memory, the entry section entering at least some of the data stored in the first memory in the fourth memory when the detecting section finds that an amount of data stored in the first memory exceeds a vacant memory space in the third memory, and that an amount of data stored in the second memory is smaller than a vacant memory space in the fourth memory.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 10, line 10 as follows:

In order to achieve the foregoing feature~~object~~, a facsimile apparatus of the present invention includes: a speed dial section for calling, when numeric keys are selected, a destination assigned by a combination of the numeric keys; a one-touch dial section for calling, when one of a plurality of keys independently provided from the numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the selected key; a first memory for storing data used by the one-touch dial section; a second memory for storing data used by the speed dial section; and an entry section for entering data of the first

memory before data of the second memory in a vacant memory space of at least one of a third memory and a fourth memory respectively storing data used by a one-touch dial section and a speed dial section provided in another facsimile apparatus connected to the facsimile apparatus, the data of the first memory being entered regardless of whether it is used for the one-touch dial section or the speed dial section of the another facsimile apparatus.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 12, line 17 as follows:

In order to achieve the foregoing feature~~object~~, a facsimile apparatus of the present invention includes: a speed dial section for calling, when numeric keys are selected, a destination assigned by a combination of the numeric keys; a one-touch dial section for calling, when one of a plurality of keys independently provided from the numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the selected key; a first memory for storing data used by the one-touch dial section; a second memory for storing data used by the speed dial section; a frequency measuring section for measuring and storing, for each destination, frequency by which data stored in the first memory and data stored in the second memory are used; and an entry section for entering the data of the first memory and the data of the second memory, in the order of the highest frequency to the lowest frequency of use as measured by the frequency measuring

section, first in a vacant memory space of a third memory and then a vacant memory space of a fourth memory, the third memory and the fourth memory being provided in another facsimile apparatus connected to the facsimile apparatus, and respectively storing data used by a one-touch dial section and a speed dial section provided in the another facsimile apparatus.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 16, line 1 as follows:

In order to achieve the foregoing feature~~object~~, a facsimile apparatus of the present invention includes: a speed dial section for calling, when numeric keys are selected, a destination assigned by a combination of the numeric keys; a one-touch dial section for calling, when one of a plurality of keys independently provided from the numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the selected key; a first memory for storing data used by the one-touch dial section; a second memory for storing data used by the speed dial section; a detecting section for finding a vacant memory space in a third memory and a fourth memory of another facsimile apparatus connected to the facsimile apparatus, the third memory storing data used by a one-touch dial section provided in the another facsimile apparatus, the fourth memory storing data used by a speed dial section provided in the another facsimile apparatus; a frequency measuring section for measuring and storing, for each

destination, frequency by which data stored in the first memory and data stored in the second memory are used; and an entry section for entering the data of the first memory in the third memory when the detecting section finds that an amount of data stored in the first memory is smaller than the vacant memory space in the third memory, and entering the data of the second memory first in the vacant memory space of the third memory and then in the vacant memory space of the fourth memory in the order of the highest frequency to the lowest frequency of use as measured by the frequency measuring section.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 19, line 1 as follows:

In order to achieve the foregoing featureobject, a facsimile apparatus of the present invention includes: a speed dial section for calling, when a speed dial number assigned by a combination of numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the speed dial number; a one-touch dial section for calling, when a one-touch dial number assigned by one of a plurality of keys independently provided from the numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the one-touch dial number; a group dial section, provided for multicast transmission to multiple destinations, for assigning a group dial number to a predetermined key so as to enter a plurality of destinations using at least one of a speed dial number in the

speed dial section, a one-touch dial number in the one-touch dial section, and a facsimile number of a target destination, and calling the plurality of destinations with the group dial number when the group dial number is selected; and an entry section for entering data used by the one-touch dial section and data used by the speed dial section in another facsimile apparatus connected to the facsimile apparatus, the entry section entering the data of the one-touch dial section in a speed dial memory of the another facsimile apparatus according to a memory size of the facsimile apparatus, and entering the one-touch dial number as a speed dial number, or the entry section entering the data of the speed dial section in a one-touch dial memory of the another facsimile apparatus according to a memory size of the facsimile apparatus, and entering the speed dial number as a one-touch dial number, and the entry section entering the data of the group dial section in the another facsimile apparatus, by modifying the data according to the one-touch dial number or the speed dial number entered in the another facsimile apparatus.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 21, line 15 as follows:

In order to achieve the foregoing feature~~object~~, the present invention provides a data entry method for a facsimile apparatus for entering speed dial data and one-touch dial data of a first

facsimile apparatus in a second facsimile apparatus, the first facsimile apparatus and the second facsimile apparatus each including a speed dial section for calling, when numeric keys are selected, a destination assigned by a combination of the numeric keys, and a one-touch dial section for calling, when one of a plurality of keys independently provided from the numeric keys is selected, a destination assigned by the selected key, and the method includes the step of: entering at least some of the speed dial data stored in the first facsimile apparatus in a memory in the one-touch dial section of the second facsimile apparatus, or entering at least some of the one-touch dial data stored in the first facsimile apparatus in a memory in the speed dial section of the second facsimile apparatus.

Please insert the following **new** paragraph at page 23, line 6, below the heading "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS":

In the drawings:

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 6 as follows:

Fig. 1 is a view showing an example of data transfer of one-touch dial data and speed dial data according to one embodiment of a facsimile apparatus of the present invention; [[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 10 as follows:

Fig. 2 is a block diagram schematically showing a configuration of the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 12 as follows:

Fig. 3 is a view showing an example of a data structure of one-touch dial data and speed dial data stored in the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 15 as follows:

Fig. 4 is a flowchart outlining an example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 17 as follows:

Fig. 5 is a view showing another example of data transfer of one-touch dial data and speed dial data by the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 20 as follows:

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Fig. 6 is a flowchart specifically showing an example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus; [[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 22 as follows:

Fig. 7 is a block diagram showing an example of how the facsimile apparatus is connected to a different facsimile apparatus; [[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 23, line 25 as follows:

Fig. 8(a) is a view showing an example of data transfer of one-touch dial data and speed dial data according to another embodiment of the facsimile apparatus of the present invention; Fig. 8(b) is a view showing another example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus; Fig. 8(c) is a view showing yet another example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus; Fig. 8(d) is a view showing still another example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus; Fig. 8(e) is a view showing yet another example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus; and Fig. 8(f) is a view showing still another example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus; [[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 24, line 12 as follows:

Fig. 9 is a flowchart specifically showing an example of data transfer according to the facsimile transmission illustrated in Fig. 8(a) through Fig. 8(f);[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 24, line 15 as follows:

Fig. 10(a) is a view showing an example of data transfer of one-touch dial data and speed dial data according to yet another embodiment of the facsimile apparatus of the present invention; Fig. 10(b) is a flowchart showing a procedure of updating frequency information in the facsimile apparatus; Fig. 10(c) is a flowchart showing a procedure of initializing frequency information in the facsimile apparatus; Fig. 10(d) is a flowchart showing another procedure of updating frequency information in the facsimile apparatus; and Fig. 10(e) is a flowchart outlining an example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 25, line 2 as follows:

Fig. 11 is a flowchart specifically showing an example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 25, line 4 as follows:

Fig. 12(a) is a view showing an example of data transfer of one-touch dial data and speed dial data according to still another embodiment of the facsimile apparatus of the present invention; and Fig. 12(b) is a view showing another example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 25, line 10 as follows:

Fig. 13 is a flowchart specifically showing an example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 25, line 12 as follows:

Fig. 14(a) is a view showing an example of data transfer of one-touch dial data and speed dial data according to yet another embodiment of the facsimile apparatus of the present invention; and Fig. 14(b) is a view showing another example of data transfer by the facsimile apparatus;[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 25, line 18 as follows:

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Fig. 15 is a flowchart specifically showing data transfer by the facsimile apparatus; [[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 25, line 20 as follows:

Fig. 16(a) is a view showing an example of a data structure of stored group dial data according to still another embodiment of the facsimile apparatus of the present invention; Fig. 16(b) is a view showing an example of a data structure of one-touch dial data stored in the facsimile apparatus; and Fig. 16(c) is a view showing an example of a data structure of speed dial data stored in the facsimile apparatus; [[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 26, line 3 as follows:

Fig. 17(a) is a view showing an example of a data structure of stored group dial data according to yet another embodiment of the facsimile apparatus of the present invention; Fig. 17(b) is a view showing an example of a data structure of one-touch dial data stored in the facsimile apparatus; and Fig. 17(c) is a view showing an example of a data structure of speed dial data stored in the facsimile apparatus; [[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 26, line 11 as follows:

Fig. 18(a) is a view showing an example of a data structure of stored group dial data according to still another embodiment of the facsimile apparatus of the present invention; and Fig. 18(b) is a view showing an example of a data structure of one-touch dial data stored in the facsimile apparatus; and[[.]]

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 27, line 4 as follows:

A preferredAn exemplary embodiment of the present invention is described below with reference to Fig. 1 through Fig. 7.

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